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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated 14 May 2003, please consider the following. The fee and request for extension of time of two months to and including August 14, 2003 is enclosed herewith. Please provide any additional extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any additional fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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